

August 31, 2006

Honorable Vernon A. Williams  
Secretary  
Surface Transportation Board  
1925 K Street, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20006

Re: Ex Parte No. 646 (Sub-No. 1), Simplified Standards for Rail Rate Cases

Dear Secretary Williams:

This is the Notice of Intent to Participate in the captioned proceeding on behalf of Tate & Lyle Ingredients Americas, Inc. Please add the following name to the service list as the representative of that party.

Sincerely,

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